

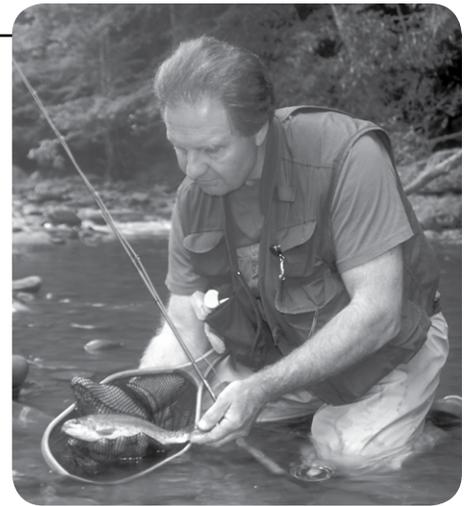
## FROM THE DIRECTOR

Restoration is a word you hear many times from fisheries and wildlife managers. Broadly speaking, the practice of natural resource restoration means the use of management tools and ecological principles to actively recover degraded natural communities. The Division of Natural Resources is involved in a number of restoration projects that benefit West Virginia's fisheries. The application of limestone sands in acid-impacted streams has improved water quality. This in turn has helped restore native brook trout populations and has improved trout fisheries in places like the Cranberry River.

Restoration also takes the form of species reintroductions such as paddlefish, shovelnose sturgeon and blue catfish in the Ohio and Kanawha rivers. These fish were once an integral part of these great river systems in West Virginia. Habitat enhancement projects through physical improvements and vegetation plantings are also valuable. Active management and cooperative efforts by state and federal agencies and other partners, including private industry, angling groups and landowners are keys to successful restoration. I and all DNR personnel look forward to the results of these and future endeavors. I think you will find the results beneficial to you and our abundant natural fish and wildlife resources.



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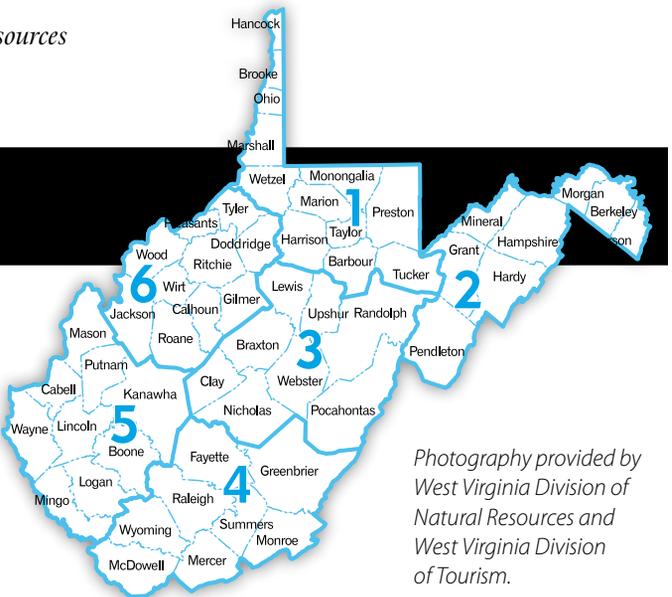
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